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Subject: RE: Tesla Inquiry

Chris,

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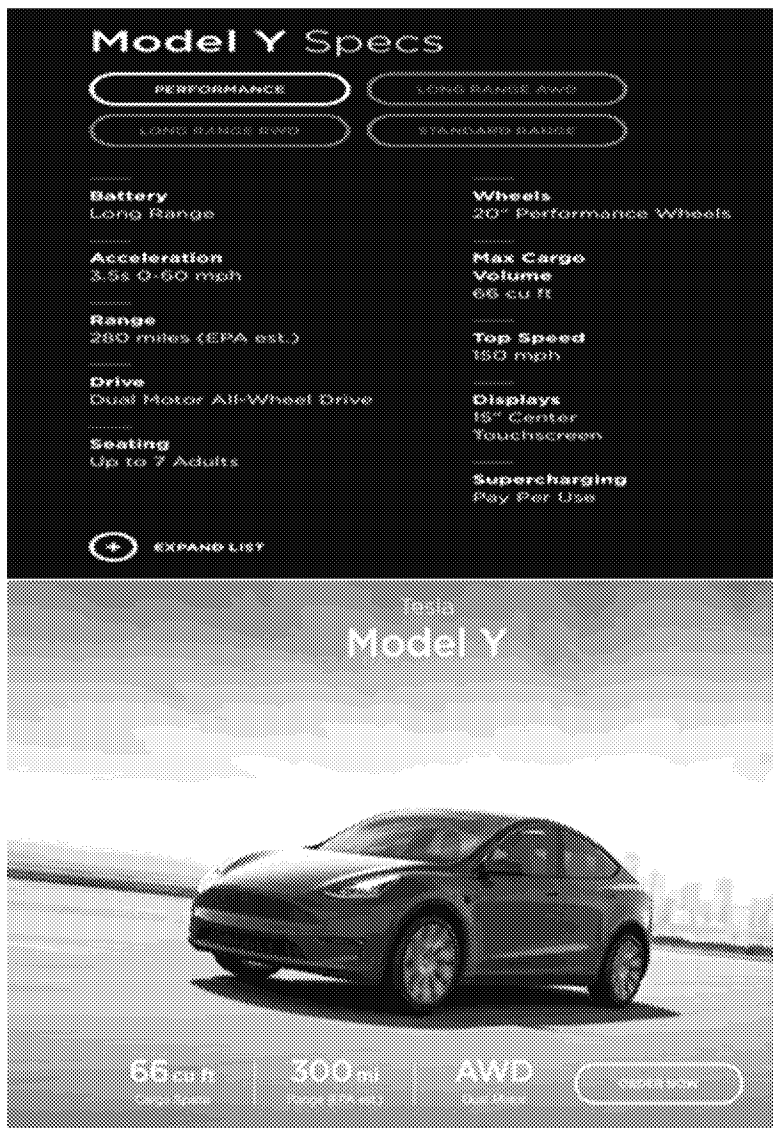
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Hi All,

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Thanks,
Chris



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Hello Chris,

I can confirm that EPA has not tested the Tesla Model Y and **Deliberative Process / Ex. 5**

Regards,

Tristin Rojeck

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Hi Chris,

I am not sure if EPA has performed confirmatory testing on this model yet, I have copied Tristin Rojeck and David wright who are responsible for Tesla certification. They can let you know

In general it might be good to explain that:

Manufacturers are allowed to state their projected fuel economy and electric range of new products prior to the official certification and fuel economy testing is complete. These values are manufacturer projections and should not be claimed to be official EPA numbers. Once the certification and fuel economy testing is complete and the official fuel economy label values have been determined, the FTC requires the official values to be displayed in greater prominence with any other fuel economy information the manufacturer states.

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Sorry, Joe. I should have put you on here as well and I did not.

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Importance: High

Hi Linc,

A question came in from the LA Times that we would like to answer today. I quickly took a stab at answering – can you please edit the response as needed?

Question:

Tesla is advertising its Model Y with a 300 mile EPA range. But since this car is only in prototype phase, I'm wondering how they can claim an EPA range.

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Thank you,

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